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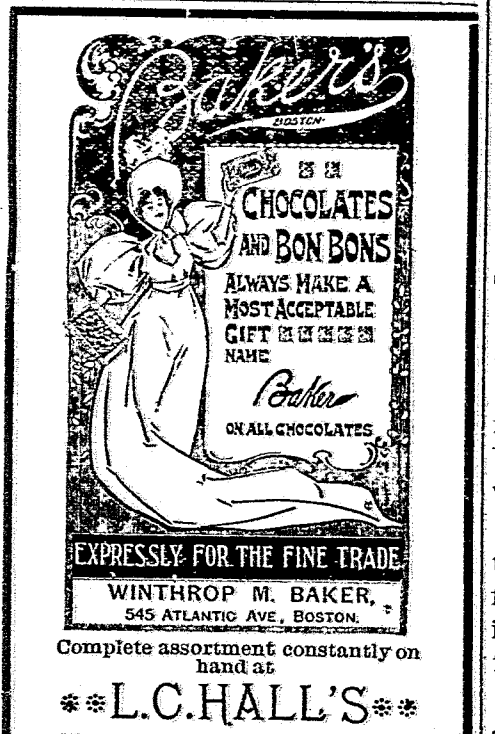
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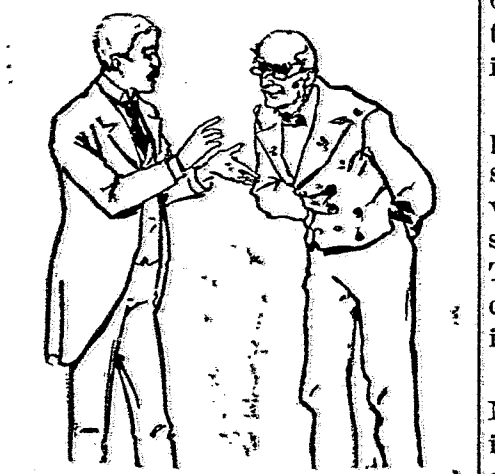
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Town Topics.

WHAT OUR PEOPLE ARE DOING.
ITEMS OF INTEREST PICKED
UP ABOUT TOWN.

H. C. Barker was at Portland,
Friday.

W. F. Kendall was home from
the Lakes over Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Twaddle spent
Friday in the Forest City.

Bernie Barker and Sam Gibson
went to Portland, Friday.

E. S. Kilborn and S. I. French
were at Portland, Friday.

W. S. Parker is at home this
week, from Boston, on a visit.

Mr. E. C. Park is attending the
law court in Portland this week.

Rev. Arthur Varley and Rev. F.
E. Barton will exchange pulpits
next Sunday.

Miss Alice C. Twitchell of Port-
land, is visiting her aunt, Mrs.
Knoch Foster.

Mrs. Chas. Chute and daughter,
Mildred, went to Bridgton, last
Wednesday, to visit friends.

There were 22 Portland tickets
sold at the Bethel station Friday,
11 Saturday, and 61 Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Davis, who
are spending the summer in Bethel
are on a week trip to Montreal.

In New York, June 28, Heinrich
Meyer of New York, to Mrs. Ada
L. Bell of Bethel, Me.—New York
Herald.

Mrs. Angolia Clark started, Mon-
day, for Indianapolis, where she
is to spend a month visiting friends
and relatives.

A good suit of clothes cheap.
That is what you can get in the
mark down sale at F. H. Noyes
Blue Store, Norway.

Mrs. Allie L. Lawrence of Med-
ford Mass., arrived in town last
Wednesday for a fortnight's visit
with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lawrence.

E. L. Tebbets, general manager of
the Bethel Chair Co., has been con-
fined to his home in Auburn, dur-
ing the past week on account of ill-
ness.

The Ladies' Circle of the M. E.
church will meet at the home of
Mrs. Eldridge, Thursday afternoon.

A picnic supper will be served at
6 o'clock. There will be an enter-
tainment in the evening. All are
invited.

Calvin Bisbee and family took a
pleasure ride last week through
six or eight towns in this vicinity,
visiting Mt. Mea at Paris Hill and
several other places of interest.

They had a delightful trip and es-
caped the thunder storm that visited
Bethel last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Heinrich Meyer of
New York, are spending a few days
in town. The fine residence at the
corner of Church and Main streets,
fitted up last season by Mrs. Meyer,
will not be opened this summer.

It is their intention to spend about
two weeks at the White Mountains
before returning to New York to
perfect their plans for a European
voyage which they will take in a
few weeks.

A Bethel four-year-old had heard
his father read the Sunday school
lesson for July 15, and had listened
very intently to the story of the
Hebrews in the fiery furnace. The
little fellow was then questioned to
some extent, concerning the lesson
when, finally, the seemingly diffi-
cult question was asked, "What
were the names of the three good
men?" and the reply promptly
came, "Shadrach, Meshach, and To-
bed-we-go."

Mr. J. A. Thurston very nar-
rowly escaped a runaway, Satur-
day, while driving over to the vil-
lage. It is supposed the whistle-
tree broke as he drove from the
overhead bridge; this frightened
the horse, which is a spirited one,
and he ran up Church street at a
merry clip. Mr. Thurston thought-
fully guided him into the fence at
James Seavey's, and he was stop-
ped without any serious damage
having been done.

Lawn Mowers.

Do you know that your Lawn
Mowers can be fixed by P. A. White-
ney, No. 8 Elm St., in a first-class
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Curio and Art Exhibition.

The curio and art exhibition at
the Universalist church last
Thursday and Friday, was a de-
lightful affair. An interesting pro-
gram was arranged for Thursday
evening and rendered as follows:

Mrs. A. G. Wiley rendered a
pleasing vocal solo to Mr. Wiley's
accompaniment on the banjo. Miss
Bertha Wiley gave a mandolin so-
lo. There were vocal solos by Miss
Florence Carter and Miss Joan
Stearns, and a violin solo by Miss
Maud Merrow of West Bethel. A
reading was given by E. L. Har-
vey, and vocal selections were fin-
ely rendered by Mr. Harry Pepper
of New York, accompanied by Mr.
Charles G. Shaffer upon the piano
and Mrs. Shaffer on the violin. Mr.
Pepper is a well-known vocalist
and composer. Violin selections
were rendered by Mrs. Charles
Grant Schaffer of New Orleans,
who with her husband has spent a
couple of weeks at the Bethel
House. Mrs. Shaffer was formerly
Miss Dora Decker of New York and
is said to be one of the finest per-
formers upon that instrument in
the country. Tea was served dur-
ing the afternoon and evening.

Among the interesting things
displayed, was an elegant silk flag,
now somewhat ragged and time-
worn, which was presented by the
Bethel ladies to the Bethel company
at Fort Proble, in June, 1861.

Col. Edwards owns this flag. The
sword carried by the Colonel dur-
ing the war, was also exhibited in
connection with the two candle-
sticks used by him in the war.

Among the other things loaned by
Col. Edwards, was an ear of corn
grown near the tomb of Washing-
ton, at Mt. Vernon; a tobacco box
used by Chaplain Adams through-
out the war, and afterwards given
to Col. Edwards; a canteen and
dipper picked from a rifle-pit at
Spotsylvania, thirty years after
the battle, at the point where the
twelve picked regiments broke
Lee's line. These are only a few of
the interesting and valuable relics
possessed by the Colonel.

Mrs. Martha A. Lovejoy of the
Bethel House, loaned an ancient
looking plate and a pitcher, form-
erly the property of Gen. Knox,
the plate being one from which he
dined—and also the sand shake,
which he used with some of the
sand left by him in it. Mrs. Love-
joy also loaned a metal cheese tray,
110 years old, which was a subject
of much interest.

Two miniature portraits painted
upon ivory in 1820, the property of
Mrs. L. A. Pratt, attracted much
attention. Some cups and saucers,
170 years old, and a toddy tumbler,
100 years old, were shown by Mrs.
S. I. French. Two elegant cut
glass decanters, brought from En-
gland, 105 years ago, were displayed
by Mrs. George E. King. Miss
Phebe Buxton loaned a black wal-
nut chair of elegant design, known
to be 150 years old, and supposed
to have belonged to the colonial
governor, Dummer, also two pew-
ter plates more than 100 years old.

Among the relics was a cant-dog,
used by Jos. Twitchell for extract-
ing teeth. Mrs. I. W. Ames con-
tributed a mirror 150 years old,
very striking in design. An elegant
black lace shawl, hand-woven by
Spanish women, was shown by
Mrs. L. A. Pratt. The workman-
ship is exquisite.

There was a table of fine Mexi-
can work, and relics displayed by
Mrs. Agnes M. Gibson. A large
glass case was filled with rare old
pieces of glass and china of great
value.

Especially noticeable was an ele-
gant tea set of great age but in per-
fect preservation, the property of
Mrs. R. A. Frye.

A table about which people spent
much time, was that of Mrs. D. S.
Hastings, who has spent many
years in Montana, and has a large
and valuable collection of mement-
os of her Western life. On this
table was a canteen and dipper, an
Indian bow, kettle, wooden spoon,
well-worn knife, Indian nose-ring
and bracelet, all of which were tak-
en from an Indian grave near the
battlefield where Gen. Custer was
killed. The canteen and dipper
presumably belonged to one of our
soldiers and was taken by the In-
dians. An Indian hammer, being
simply a round stone of oblong
shape, some finely worked slippers
from the Chippewas, buffalo horns
in the rough, and as finished and
polished by the Indians; likewise
antelope horns were shown. There
were many interesting specimens
from Yellowstone Park, also. Mrs.
Hastings very interestingly and
entertainingly explained the ar-
ticles upon her table.

One table was given to the ex-
hibition of old laces, embroidery
and linen work, much of it of ex-
quisite design and workmanship.

The whole affair was a success
and the receipts were satisfactory.

How Are Your Kidneys?

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THE VIOLIN RECITAL.

Delightful Entertainment Listened
to by Appreciative Audience.

The violin recital given at the
Opera house last Thursday evening
by Miss Florence E. Chipman and
pupils assisted by Miss Harriet E.
Fuller, elocutionist, and Miss Alice
E. Purinton of Bethel, the gifted
contralto, was attended by a large
number of Gosham's best people
and all were highly satisfied with
the excellent entertainment given.

All the violinists showed careful
training and the excellence of the
playing of those who have been tak-
ing lessons but a short time,
speaks volumes of the ability of
Miss Chipman as a teacher.

Miss Purinton has a beautiful
voice, full and sweet, and shows
she has received the best of teach-
ing at the hands of competent mas-
ters. Her rendition of the "Heav-
enly Song" was particularly fine,
and we hope it will not be long
until she again appears before a
Gosham audience.

Miss Fuller was as much a favor-
ite as ever, her selections being
rendered in her usual delightful
style, and eliciting prolonged ap-
plause.

Master Harold Cady, the youth-
ful Gosham violinist, in his first
public appearance, scored a success
that would have made many a
"stage veteran" green with envy,
and at the end of his selection,
"Sweet Dream," received tremen-
dous applause that was well merit-
ed. The manner in which the lit-
tle fellow handled his violin would
have done credit to players much
older than he, and shows that he
has much musical ability.

Miss Chipman gave, by request,
a violin solo that was further evi-
dence of the exceptional ability of
the young lady with this particu-
lar instrument.

The piano duet by Misses Bil-
lings and Purinton was brilliant-
ly played and was one of the best
features of the concert.

The closing selection, Weber's
"Prayer and Rondo," by the class
and orchestra, composed of eight
violins, cornet, clarinet, and piano,
was a fitting conclusion to so fine
a concert, and the orchestra was
such as to delight the hearts of a
music-loving audience.

Those from Miss Chipman's
Bethel class, who took part were
Mrs. Virgin, Misses Billings and
Merrow, and Master Dan Durrell.

The orchestra was composed as
follows: First violins, Miss Chip-
man and Miss Billings; second
violins, Miss Merrow and Mrs. Vir-
gin; third violins, Miss Evans
and Master Howland; fourth vi-
olin, Masters Cady and Durrell;
cornet, S. L. Chipman; clarinet, F.
C. Chipman; piano, Miss Mary S.
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LOCAL NEWS.

Ferron Lovejoy is at home for his mid-summer vacation.

Harry Farwell, is working at the Kearsarge, North Conway.

Mrs. C. S. York of Augusta, is the guest of Mrs. Elmer Young.

Miss Annie Corey of Portland, is spending a few weeks at S. B. Twitchell's.

Miss Mary Chapman of Portland, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Milton Penley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Jackson of Rumford Centre, visited at Milton Penley's, last week.

The front of the store occupied by R. E. L. Farwell is being improved by a set of new steps.

Mrs. Chas. E. Folsom and children, Mary O., Robert, and Rufus, are visiting at Mrs. S. D. Philbrook's.

Miss Anna Maddocks of Skowhegan who has been visiting at A. W. Grover's returned to her home this morning.

If you want the best lawn swing, out, see the kind kept by E. H. Young. Look for cut in another column.

The young people again enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lovejoy of the Bethel House, Monday evening.

W. C. Swan, Piano, Reed and Pipe Organ Tanager, will be in Bethel and vicinity, until July 25. Address Box 312, Bethel.

Rev. E. A. Hoyt of Dover, N. H., will preach in the Universalist church at Rumford Point, July 30 and August 6, at 10:45 a. m.

Jameson Finney, who has been visiting relatives in town, returned to his home in Norway, Monday afternoon, going down on his wheel.

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The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. O. M. Mason, Tuesday, July 25. The members are reminded that it is time the annual dues should be collected.

Friday afternoon the Congregational Sabbath school enjoyed a picnic in Mr. W. L. Chapman's grove. A very pleasant time is reported by all who attended.

The Ladies' Club will hold a social upon Dr. Gehring's lawn, Thursday evening. All are invited to come and enjoy a social evening. Ice cream and cake will be on sale.

Mrs. C. E. Folsom and family, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. M. Greeley, Miss Jessie Philbrook, Mrs. E. W. Lapworth and Edward King started for the Lakes, to-day, for a short trip.

Look out for the annual fair given by the ladies of the Universalist society at Odeon Hall, Tuesday afternoon and evening, August 1. Concert in the evening. Further particulars next week.

We are grateful to the Savings Bank for the complete metamorphosis, which the rooms occupied by the News, have undergone during the past two weeks. We feel so proud, we hardly know what to do.

In the terrific shower of last Wednesday afternoon, two cows owned by Mr. G. P. Bean, were killed by lightning. At Mayville, the full violence of the shower was felt, and some damage was done; lightning entered the Riverside House, smashing the telephone box, but doing no further damage. A hen house owned by Mr. Smith suffered some damage.

We were glad to see Wm. D. Chase in town, Monday. He came from Brooklyn, with his own horse and carriage via the New York and Portland steamer and drove to Fryeburg, and from thence to Bethel. Mr. Chase will return to Brooklyn in a few days and come back in August with his daughter. He has a good saddle horse, and we hope next month to see him in the saddle as well as the carriage.

Mrs. O. M. Mason on Saturday evening of last week, entertained a large number from the Universalist society, at her home on Vernon street. Both young and old enjoyed a picnic supper on the spacious lawn, and the delightful summer evening helped to make the occasion the success that it was. Mrs. Mason has already won a wide reputation for hospitality, and her many friends appreciate her past kindnesses.

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Bethel,	4:46	9:22
Locke's Mills,	4:41	9:21
Bryant Pond,	5:08	9:58
South Paris,	6:40	1:40
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Bethel,	11:05	4:38
West Bethel,	11:12	4:46
Gorham,	11:55	4:59
Island Pond,	1:50	8:00

Sunday paper train leaves Portland going west at 8:30 a. m., South Paris 10:19, Bryant Pond 10:51, Locke's Mills 10:59, Bethel 11:10, West Bethel 11:20, Gorham 11:54, Island Pond 12:00, arriving in Berlin 12:15.

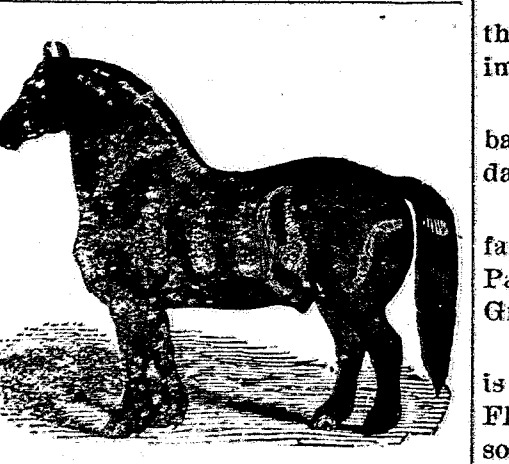
The train which leaves Island Pond at 2:05 a. m., and the one which leaves Portland at 8:30 p. m., run every day; all others every day except Sunday.

EXCURSION.

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I wish to say to the people of Bethel and vicinity that I have opened a Saddle and Harness Shop at my place in Bethel, and will keep a large stock of horses, weighing from 1000 to 1200 each, constantly on hand. If you need a good horse, come to me and I will please you.

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BETHEL, MAINE.
NOTICE.
The undersigned hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the last will and testament of
ARTHUR H. KIMBALL, late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.
June 30th, 1909. Agnes G. Ames.

FOR SALE—MY FARM situated about 3 1/2 miles from Bethel Hill, under good state of cultivation, containing 100 acres more or less. Also stock and farming tools, and everything on said farm. For further particulars inquire of Wm. L. Farwell, Bethel.

COUNTY NEWS.

NORTH WEST BETHEL.

Percey Chapman is working with Fred Chapman during the haying season.

Work on the new schoolhouse is in progress. Mr. Howe wishes to complete it as soon as possible.

Eben Scribner of Swan's Corner, was calling on some of his old neighbors, the 16th.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Sumner are entertaining Mr. Sumner's father and mother, of Amherst.

Mr. George Palmer is away at work, and Mrs. Palmer and baby, Lovell, are at Shelburne, N. H., visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelmar Brown have returned to their home in Peabody, Mass., after spending two weeks with their son, Frank.

Seth Mason has been repairing his barn; the sill under the big doors, after doing service for more than fifty years, had to be replaced.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sumner have adopted a baby girl, four months old; the necessary writings have been made and the child's name is now Lillian Marguerite Sumner.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Mason and daughter, accompanied by Alfred Bean of "The Shades," went to Buckfield to spend the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mason. They went by the way of Hanover, and returned by the way of Paris Hill.

While gone they visited the Hartford Cold Springs on Mount Hartford, 2700 feet above the sea level, where they were courteously received by the proprietors, and all the mysterious intricacy of the carbonating and bottling machinery explained in an interesting manner.

This water is clear and pure and cold as iced water, and is believed to contain the elements which make sick well and those who are well better, if that is possible—be that as it may, it is worth a person's time to visit this gushing fountain in old Hartford's hills, and they will go away cheered by the friendly cordiality extended by those who own and carry on this business.

NEWRY CORNER.

"Oh, where could life be half so sweet, So free from care and harm, So independent and complete As on a well kept farm?"

The city dwellers fondly dream, And seek with costly care For fresh eggs, fowl and fruits and cream— The farmer's daily fare.

If they would take a carriage ride, A fortune small they pay; The farmer in his humble pride, Can take one any day.

The hay crop will be very light in this locality.

A nice rain revived the crops, but the hail did considerable damage.

Rev. O. L. Stone has been visiting his parents in Norway the past week.

The Ladies' Union Circle will meet in the vestry Wednesday afternoon July 26.

L. A. Hall has arranged with Davis of the Lake state to collect laundry along his route, to be sent to the Globe steam laundry at Portland.

During the heavy shower of June 12, lightning struck the house of T. H. Jewett, North Bethel. It passed down the large elm, divided, part following a clothesline to another tree, the remainder going through the roof of the house, tearing off the side of the kitchen door through which Mr. Godwin was passing, splitting the mop-board and floor. Then it passed down through the plastering to the kitchen below and finally spent its force in the cellar. Fortunately no one was injured though all the inmates felt the jar considerably. The cat sat screaming with fear and could not be pacified.

BETHEL STEAM MILL.

Zella Bryant is very sick with the measles.

Cora Brown went to Portland last Saturday.

The farmers have commenced to do their haying.

Justus Kimball was at Gus Lamere's one day last week.

A family has moved into one of J. P. Skillings' vacant rents.

Alcie Shaw has gone to Gilead to work for Mrs. A. B. Bennett.

Cora Brown was the guest of Mrs. Jennie Pratt one day last week.

A good suit of clothes cheap.

That is what you can get in the mark down sale at F. H. Noyes Blue Store, Norway.

SOUTH PARIS.

Mr. Ernest Gammon is visiting relatives in West Stoneham.

Miss Grace Murphy is working for Mrs. Dana Philbrook of Bethel.

Theda Thayer is working for F. H. Briggs at Maple Grove farm, Auburn.

Mrs. M. D. Glover of Butte, Montana, visited her sister, Mrs. J. J. Murphy last week.

Miss Mildred Kenney is working for Mrs. Edgar Henry, formerly of this village but now of Berlin, N. H.

Walter Farrar has sold his farm on the Paris Hill road, to Mr. Eben E. Chapman of Gilead, who will carry it on.

The ex-reclon to Portland, Sunday, left here with fifteen loaded coaches. About 150 people went from this station.

Miss Maud Carter has been offered a position in the Model Room of the Farmington Normal School, from which she graduated last month, with high honors.

Mr. Patrick King of Gorham, N. H., was in town last week, giving instruction to the railroad men of this place, in the new rules and regulations for train running.

An exceedingly heavy thunder shower struck town last Wednesday evening. While it lasted, the thunder-bolts were distributed around the village in a careless manner, quite a number of out buildings and trees being struck.

SUNDAY RIVER.

Mr. J. Spiney is haying for Mr. Charles Cross of Middle Intervale.

Mrs. John Brown and Mrs. J. Stowe visited friends at Bethel, Friday.

Friends of Mr. Virgil Wilson are looking forward to a long visit from him and his family this summer.

The many friends of M. Thurston will be pleased to hear of his rapid recovery from a long, severe illness.

Among the many handsome wedding presents which Mrs. Herbert Jackson received, was a set of silver knives and forks from Mr. Ceylon Rowe of Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kendall of Boston, are among the late arrivals in town. They are accompanied by their little son, Fred, who is recovering from a severe attack of measles.

The engagement of Mr. Tracy Littlehale formerly of Newry, but now of Boston, to Miss Alice Johnston of Central Square, Dorchester, Mass., is announced; the wedding will take place in the early autumn.

Mr. C. B. Foster, accompanied a number of friends, to Locke's pond, fishing, but owing to the severe electrical storm, was obliged to return sooner than he expected. They were successful however in bringing home quite a number of fish.

GILEAD.

Mrs. J. W. Kimball is better than last week.

It is reported that Mrs. Hattie Griffin's child has scarlet fever.

A. H. Lary started for his home in Jersey City, N. J., last Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Ann Peabody still remains in quite a feeble condition.

WILSON'S MILLS.

E. E. Bennett is at work for D. C. Bennett.

We had some heavy showers Wednesday.

W. J. Fickett is at work for E. S. Bennett on a new shed.

Quite a number of the farmers have commenced haying.

George Chandler cut his toe quite badly Wednesday.

Rev. A. T. Hillman and family are boarding at the Azisacos House.

F. A. Flint has sold his farm and buildings to J. W. York and F. P. Flint.

Frank Hart of West Milan is visiting his brothers, W. E. and A. W. Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood and another gentleman and lady went up river Tuesday with Fred York and Arthur Flint as guides.

H. B. Pennock and wife have returned from the Lake. A. R. Pennock and G. W. Brooks are also at home to attend to their haying.

UPTON.

Ellsworth Lombard and family have moved to Mill street.

Mrs. Calvin Cummings has been visiting relatives in town.

Leave your laundry with the Davis Lake stage and it will be done in first class order.

Mrs. Champion of Massachusetts is occupying her summer home at Upton Hill. She has five boarders who came with her to spend the summer.

J. F. Coolidge and family have moved to Upton, and live with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Coolidge, who are getting well along in years and seem to need some one younger to assist in the care of their store. Their friends are glad to welcome them to Upton again.

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for years and always with good results," says Mr. W. R. Cooper of Rio Rico, Cal. "For small children we find it especially effective." For sale by G. R. Willey, Bethel, and W. H. Crockett, Locke Mills.

NORWAY.

The Festival chorus rehearsed Monday evening, after a few weeks' vacation.

Winslow, the candy man, closed out his stock, damaged by smoke and water, so the store is again vacant.

Robert Bisbee of Bethel, called on friends in town, Wednesday. He was on his way to Mt. Mica after minerals.

Many visited the fleet in Portland harbor, last Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Over 100 went down for that purpose, Sunday.

The cantata, Esther, is progressing finely. The rehearsals are held each week, and all parts seem to be well selected. The Norway orchestra will accompany the singers when action is undertaken.

Rev. B. S. Rideout preached at the Poland Spring House, Sunday morning. The Congregational pulpit was occupied by Mr. Haskell, a theological student, who delivered a very thoughtful discourse.

LOCKE MILLS.

E. L. Tebbets is gaining slowly.

Mr. Howard Maxim is entertaining the measles this week.

Charles Hussey lost nine pigs by lightning, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Glover returns to her home in Butte, Montana, this week.

The officers of the J. O. U. A. M. were re-elected for the ensuing six months.

G. C. Woods and many others from this place, went to Portland to see Sampson's fleet.

Mrs. Will Bean is improving slowly; her mother, Mrs. Jordan, is with her.

Mrs. Jared Young passed away July 12, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Crocker.

Curtis Abbott and Mont Coley went to Bethel, last Thursday night, to attend the F. & A. M. lodge meeting.

J. G. Coffin has got so he can make very good time on his wheel, but has given up the idea of riding on the water.

NORTH NORWAY.

Mrs. Arthur Noyes is sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Annie Burbank is boarding at E. A. Cox's.

Mr. Wiggins of Harrison, is working for I. H. Lord.

Nathan York is suffering from a cancer in his throat.

Mr. White has bought the Brooks farm near Frank Noble's.

Wm. Woods, Jr. and wife have moved on to the Hayes place.

Capt. Herriek finished haying on the 11th; he has his work done in season.

E. T. Judkins and wife of Albany, were at O. W. H. Judkins', Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodbury Russell of Livermore Falls, are at Harry Woods.

Mrs. Ada Lowe, nee Dunn, of Medford, Mass., is visiting at C. E. Dunn's.

Miss Ethelwyn Cummings has gone to Falmouth Foreside, to spend several weeks.

Dr. Walker expects to have 100 bushels of blueberries; he is selling them at 10¢ per quart.

Rollin Towne and Mrs. S. J. Caldwell of Saugus, Mass., are staying at the old homestead, while Richardson Bros., are cutting the grass.

GRAFTON.

Oren Jenkins of Errol, N. H., was in town last week.

Blanche Pratt has returned home from Errol, N. H., where she has been working.

Mrs. Calvin Cummings and children from West Bethel are visiting her mother, Mrs. Freeland Bartlett.

The Circle met with Mrs. S. P. Davis, Wednesday of last week; the next meeting will be held at Mrs. A. F. Brooks' in four weeks.

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Portland, Maine, July 19 1899.

TO make the cottage cozy-corner look cozy throw in a few more bright cushions and a pillow or two. They'll live up the whole room and lend an air of luxury that nothing else will do so well.

The Needlework department offers a lot of designs to-day, summer novelties of special appropriateness, also the unfinished tops and backs stamped for embroidery, all ready for a bit of your handiwork to be added. New ideas in fancy table cloths of denim and art-needlework and canvas, embroidered and braided. Odd things in Cushions for the smoking room, library, and den. Pretty little pin-cushions of silk and lace and a trifle of needle-work about them. Dining room linens stamped for working and the pattern to be wrought.

Dainty novelties of our own devising particularly suitable for prizes and occasion gifts. Travelers' money-bags, jewel-pockets, pin-cushions of silk, 'look like fruit emery cushions, handy boxes for newspapers, boots or any other unclassified things. Baby pillows and carriage afghans, guest books with painted covers, photograph frames, watch-pockets, yarns and Berlin wools.

The Needlework section just now has an uncommonly large and interesting stock of fancy novelties, chosen with special reference to the requirements of the outing season.

Lots of new Veils and suits to make them from. The proper sort for a last touch to a mid-summer get-up. Great line of plain and dotted chifons and blue tuxedos.

OWEN, MOORE & CO.

Leland Waterhouse is at work for Austin Royal.

W. E. Cooper is at work for Lorrin Merrill on Mt. Mica.

Frank E. Briggs is at work for Scott E. Briggs, haying.

A. C. Brown has moved on to the farm with Melvin Morey.

Mrs. G. S. Moses of Albany, spent last week at Joseph Briggs'.

Lula Briggs, who has been sick for the last two weeks, is improving.

Ella Dow of Lewiston, is staying at the home of L. Waterhouse, Jr., this summer.

Born, in South Paris, July 6, to the wife of Herbert M. Tucker, a son, Arthur Prentiss.

A. L. Stetson, and Mrs. Evelyn Morey have moved in J. H. Stewart's rent on Park street, South Paris.

Died, in Paris, July 6, Miranda A., widow of the late G. W. Cole, aged 90 years, 11 months and 20 days.

Wilson Bonney of Baverhill, Mass., who has been spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bonney, returned last week.

MINOT.

Mrs. Marian True is cooking at Elm Cottage.

Dr. Whitcomb is at Rangeley, on a fishing trip.

Fred Fitz of Durham, passed Sunday in town.

Charlie Keene of Lewiston, is the guest of Phil Everett.

Miss Hortense Jones of Auburn, Mass., is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Arthur Gore of Gorham, N. H., spent the Fourth at Elm Cottage.

Nellie Norton and Blanche Frank are at the Oxford House, at Oxford, for the season.

Mr. William Haines of Spokane, Wash., is visiting his uncle Elbridge Butler.

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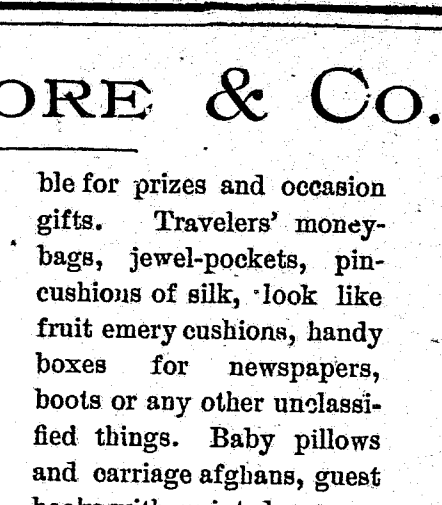
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